Mayor Mallory's Message for the Week, August 14, 2006

New Beginnings Bring New Opportunity

On Monday morning, Milton Dohoney, Jr. was sworn in as the 14th City Manager of the City of Cincinnati. He comes to Cincinnati from Lexington, Kentucky, where he served as Chief Administrative Officer, a job that is comparable to the City Manager in Cincinnati. Mr. Dohoney brings over two decades of experience in city government and a passion for public service. In Kentucky, he gained a reputation as a respected manager, who remained low-key and focused on taking care of the business of government.

Milton Dohoney joins us at a crucial point in the history of Cincinnati. Over the last year, we have made many strides in changing our city. In December, I became the first Mayor to come from outside City Hall in 70 years; five new members of City Council were sworn-in; and now, we have a new City Manager. Three new pieces are in place.

This is a truly a new beginning for Cincinnati. And this new beginning brings tremendous opportunity to dramatically change our city for the better. Over the past several decades, Cincinnati has been changing and evolving, confronting us with new challenges. Together, the new City Manager, the new Council, and I are poised to do great things and make real progress in turning Cincinnati around and leading Cincinnati into the future.

I ask for your help in this great undertaking. I need you, the citizens of Cincinnati to be the fourth piece of the equation to improve our city. We will not be successful without the help and hard work of the citizens of Cincinnati. Working together, we are going to see amazing progress in Cincinnati over the next few years.

Resume of Milton Dohoney, Jr.